

## 3<sup>RD</sup> ROUNDTABLE ON DISTRACTED DRIVING

# PERSPECTIVES FROM THE Trucking Industry

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2019

9:30 AM – 2:30 PM • Houston, Texas  
Houston Food Bank • 535 Portwall Street

PRESENTED BY THE **National Transportation Safety Board**  
IN COOPERATION WITH **Jetco** AND **StopDistractions.org**

FACILITATED BY NTSB VICE CHAIRMAN  
**Bruce Landsberg**



## AGENDA

- 9:30am–9:50am **Introduction & Opening Remarks**  
Nicholas Worrell, *NTSB Safety Advocacy*  
Hon. Bruce Landsberg, *NTSB Vice Chairman*  
Jennifer Smith, *stopdistractions.org*  
Brian Fielkow, *Jetco Delivery*
- 9:50am–10:50am **Panel 1: State of Distracted Driving in Texas**  
Texas ranks as one of the worst states for distracted-driving-related deaths. In 2017 alone, more than 440 people died in such crashes. We will discuss the statistics, the trends, and the recent passage of its law banning texting.
- 10:50am–11:05am **Break**
- 11:05am–12:15pm **Panel 2: Education, Legislation & Enforcement**  
From education campaigns aimed at drivers to community wide events, education and awareness mark the front line in the fight against distracted driving. We will focus on successful local and state-wide initiatives, and the role of advocates and community leaders in supporting law enforcement efforts to reduce distracted driving. Survivor advocates will share their experiences with investigative, criminal, and civil processes resulting from distraction-related crashes.
- 12:15pm–1:00pm **Lunch Break**

- 1:00pm–2:00pm **Panel 3: Corporate Policy & Regulation**  
Corporate policies can help mitigate distraction on our roads. Employers play a key role in ensuring drivers operate safely. We will highlight effective corporate policies in Texas, particularly those seen in the trucking industry.
- 2:00pm–2:30pm **Panel 4: Final Discussion (Takeaways)**
- 2:30pm **Adjourn**

### PARTICIPATING PANELISTS:

AAA / Anne O’Ryan, Joshua Zuber  
Houston-Galveston Area Council / Shain Eversley  
Jetco Delivery / Brian Fielkow, Jorge Chavez  
Metropolitan Transit Authority of Harris County (METRO) / Tim Kelly  
National Safety Council / Lisa Robinson  
National Transportation Safety Board / Dave Rayburn  
Safe 2 Save / Courtney Scioli  
Stopdistractions.org, Jennifer Smith  
Texas A&M Transportation Institute / Allan Rutter  
Texas A&M Transportation Institute Center for Transportation Safety/ Katie Womack  
Texas Department of Public Safety / Alfred Eason, Craig Cummings  
Texas Trucking Association / Dana C. Moore  
The Fuentes Firm / Robert Fuentes  
Texas Department of Transportation / Quincy Allen  
Victim Advocates / John Teague, Toron Wooldridge, Jennifer Zamora

### THIS EVENT WILL BE WEBCAST LIVE

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